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## HALF MOON MIA 64 FEE 2H Well Update: Entire Lateral with Strong Oil & Gas Shows to be Stimulated

Black Mountain Energy Ltd (the Company; ASX: BME) is pleased to provide an operational update on the MIA 64 FEE 2H appraisal well drilled in the Half Moon Prospect in the Permian Basin, New Mexico.

- The drilling phase of the MIA 64 FEE 2H well successfully completed ahead of schedule. •
- The well achieved a measured depth of 16,845 feet (5,134 meters). •
- The entire lateral is expected to be oil productive with strong gas shows also noted. •
- Fracture stimulation is expected to commence at the end of July. •

## HALF MOON PROSPECT

Manzano LLC, the Operator, has with the Scandrill Producer drilling rig (see figure 1) reached MIA 64 FEE 2H's Target Well Depth of 16,845 feet (5,135 meters). Operations were performed safely and ahead of schedule.

The targeted 3rd Bone Spring (3BS) interval was encountered at a measured depth of 6706 feet (2,043 meter) and the lateral remained in the targeted interval for 10,139 feet (3,090 meters) with the help of a rotary steerable tool.



The well has been cased and cemented and Figure 1: Scandrill Producer Drilling Rig at MIA 64 FEE 2H the drilling rig is currently being rigged

down and demobilized. The next step is for the MIA 64 FEE 2H well to be fracture stimulated, which is expected to commence at the end of July. With favorable results, the well will subsequently be connected to production sales. The total duration of the project, from spud to the commencement of production, is anticipated to take approximately 90 days. The Company's working interest is 11.7%.

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**Commenting on this announcement, Executive Chairman Rhett Bennett, said**: "We are pleased to announce that BME's first Permian well has been successfully drilled. We are targeting our 3rd Bone Spring (3BS) interval of interest and we believe the entire lateral will be oil productive. Shareholders will be provided with milestone updates on this inaugural activity along with further planning details around developing the Half Moon Prospect in the Permian Basin."

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